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MEXICAN WHO CUT BEENE IS CAUGHT

FRANK FLONZE CAPTURED NEAR CONCEPTION SATURDAY NIGHT.

HE REFUSED TO STOP

Deputy Gabe Purcell Halted Him With the Butt of His Gun.

Frank Flonze, the Mexican who knifed Jesse Beene near Ravenwood Saturday, was captured near Conception Junction at 7:45 o'clock Saturday night by Deputy Sheriff Gabe Purcell and was brought to Maryville at 9 o'clock the same night.

Deputy Purcell received a telephone message about 7 o'clock that the Mexican had been seen on the railroad track near Conception Junction. The officer went up the track about a half mile and hid in the weeds by the side of the track. Presently Flonze came along and Purcell jumped up and halted him. When told to put up his hands, the Mexican turned and started down the track. When he did this, Deputy Purcell hit him on the back of the head with the butt of his gun. The blow felled the Mexican and apparently took all the fight out of him.

After having his prisoner's head dressed in Conception Junction, Purcell brought him in an automobile to Maryville, where he was put in the county jail.

Flonze refused to talk Saturday night, but this morning he opened up and told his story, as best he could, to a Democrat-Forum reporter. He was unable to speak much English, but he employed many gestures and with the few words that he knew he said that he was picking up a railroad tie and that the fight started over that. He said that Beene "Hitta wit de shove," and he then used his knife in self-defense.

When asked how he cut Beene, he made a sweeping motion with his hand over his neck. After the dirk slashed Beene, the motion continued and the point of the weapon cut a gash in the Mexican's wrist.

The gash cut by the Mexican's dirk knife severed Beene's external jugular vein and cut three or four smaller arteries. He was weak with loss of blood when he was brought to St. Francis hospital here, but today is out of danger.

Prosecuting Attorney McCaffrey will file a charge of assault with intent to kill against Flonze.

TO 100TH SESSION OF MASONIC GRAND LODGE

Grand Lodge Was Organized in St. Louis on October 1, 1821—Met Every Year Except in 1835.

Jonathan Stark, district deputy, and Dr. L. E. Dean and M. A. Peery will attend the Grand Lodge of the Masons, to be held in St. Louis, commencing tomorrow. This session is the 100th session and many events of a historical nature are on the program.

On February 22, 1821, a preliminary convention was held in St. Louis under the presidency of Edward Bates, who later became attorney general in President Lincoln's cabinet, looking to the formation of a grand lodge in Missouri, the St. Louis lodge taking the initiative in sending out the call for the convention. The convention adopted a constitution and adjourned until the following day when it elected officers. At a subsequent meeting May 4, the officers were installed and by-laws adopted; and October 1, 1821, the new grand lodge met in St. Louis for its first annual communication. The grand lodge has met regularly every year since that time, except for the year of 1835 when no meetings were held owing to the anti-masonic feeling which swept over the country at that time. During the one hundred years of the grand lodge's existence the Masonic organization in Missouri has grown from three lodges of less than a hundred members to 658 lodges with more than one hundred thousand members.

Ground was broken at St. Louis last week for a Masonic Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kelley and children, living near Parnell, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Nancy E. Craven on West Second Street Sunday.

Miss Eversole Returns.

Miss Maud Eversole returned to Maryville Saturday from an extended visit with relatives in Chicago and Grand Rapids, Mich.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION AT SKIDMORE

The Ninth Annual Meeting Will Be Held Wednesday and Thursday of This Week.

The ninth annual convention of the Nodaway County Sunday School association will be held at the Methodist Church in Skidmore on Wednesday and Thursday. A good attendance is expected from all over the county. Two state workers, Miss Lottie May Bose and Sterling L. Williams, will be in attendance.

The big basket dinner will be held on Wednesday evening and a committee composed of Mrs. J. O. Miller, Mrs. W. W. Grigsby and Mrs. Miles Cook have charge of plans for the dinner. On this evening pictures of the Older Boys' and Girls' Camp at Lake Geneva will be shown.

President Uel W. Lamkin of the State Teachers College, and the Rev. J. A. Cooper, Rev. S. P. Allison, and Rev. R. E. Snodgrass are on the program for speeches at Thursday's session of the convention.

DENIES INSULT TO ROLLA DICKS POST

REUBEN A. HALL SAYS MISUNDERSTANDING LED TO CHARGE

WANTED TWO PLATOONS

Visitors Could have Had Division All Their Own But Did Not Have Colors Ready

Answering the charge of members of the Rolla Dicks Post of the American Legion at Burlington Junction that they were "grossly insulted" at the Soldiers' Reunion here, Reuben A. Hall, who was in charge of the soldiers' parade, today issued a statement in which he attributes the charge to misunderstanding.

According to the former top sergeant's statement, the parade was already formed when one of the visitors told him they had brought their colors. He did not refuse them the right to march with their colors, but suggested that they form a separate platoon to follow the main body, as provided in military regulations. The Legion Post, however, had left their colors up town and were not ready to march at the time set for the parade. Some of them fell in with the other soldiers.

Hall's statement is as follows:

To the Rolla Dicks Post, American Legion, Burlington Junction:

Having seen in the Maryville Democrat-Forum that the Rolla Dicks Post of Burlington Junction were "grossly insulted" on September 7, the day of the Soldiers' Reunion at Maryville, I believe the insult was due to a misunderstanding.

I did not know that any other post had been asked to bring their colors.

I had been previously informed by the committee that no post would march separately but all march in one body. One of the Rolla Dicks men came to me and said they were there with colors. The parade had already been formed. I told them that they could march in the rear. I asked him where their colors were and he said they were up town.

Had they had their colors there, they would have put them in front of their own organization, forming a separate platoon, which would have been proper, under their own commander.

I do not believe all the members of the Rolla Dicks Post considered this an insult, as several of them fell in with the rest of the boys of Nodaway County. For the benefit of the members of the Rolla Dicks Post who do not know, allow me to say that only one set of colors are allowed to march under one commander. The members had better read up on army regulations. If they are unable to obtain a book elsewhere, I would be glad to lend them one.

With the proper knowledge of army regulations, no one could justly accuse me of putting the American flag in the rear.

REUBEN A. HALL,
Ex-Top Sergeant,
Co. L. Fourth U. S. Inf.

Guests at Braniger Home

Mrs. Rogers Braniger and daughter Miss Marie Braniger, of Los Angeles, California, will arrive in Maryville tonight to visit at the home of Mrs. Braniger's uncle, R. S. Braniger, and Mrs. Braniger. They are enroute to their home from a visit in Chicago and points in the East.

CONFERENCE SENDS TWO PASTORS HERE

DR. O. L. CURL AND THE REV. E. B. LYTLE TO MARYVILLE CHURCH

THE LATTER VINDICATED

Has been Cleared of Charges Under Which He Resigned in 1907—Rumored Dr. Curl Will Leave

Dr. O. L. Curl and the Rev. E. B. Lytle were assigned by the conference in session at Brookfield last week to the First M. E. Church of this city. It is rumored that Dr. Curl will go to another pulpit in this conference later on.

The returning of the Rev. Mr. Lytle to this conference and his assignment to the Maryville church was very unexpected. Mr. Lytle has been living for several years in San Francisco, Cal., where he is pastor of a church. credentials and his connection with this conference were favorably acted on at Brookfield.

The Rev. Mr. Lytle was pastor of the church in Maryville for five years from 1901-1906 and after that time he was presiding elder of the Maryville district. He resigned from the ministry and withdrew his membership from the church in May 1907, under serious charges. These charges were afterwards found to be groundless after a thorough investigation was made.

Dr. Curl occupied the pulpit of the First Church in St. Joseph Sunday morning at the request of the pulpit supply committee of that church.

Several other changes were made in appointments. The Rev. S. A. Rear of the Maryville circuit goes to Bolckow and he is succeeded by the Rev. J. H. Holliday.

Mr. Holliday is a new man in the conference. He is a graduate of the Boston University. The Maryville circuit is composed of the churches at Myrtle Tree, Mozingo Valley and Arkoe. His home will be in Maryville.

The appointments for the St. Joseph district are:

Amazonia, E. O. Wells.
Barnard supplied by A. C. Bostwick.
Bolckow, S. A. Rear.
Burlington Junction, F. E. Edwards.
Burr Oak to be supplied.
Centennial, J. J. Cokeley.
Clearmont, E. R. Ingram.
Elmo, C. F. Jenkins.
Fillomre, supplied by T. W. Stewart.
Graham, W. C. Francisco.
Hopkins, E. C. Wright.
Maitland, S. A. Wanless.
Maryville Circuit, J. H. Holliday.
Mound City, Linn E. Jones.
Oregon, F. J. Smith.
Parnell suplied by W. F. Wiley.
Pickering to be supplied.
Quitman supplied by O. Blackburn.
Rock Port, C. F. Hand.
Savannah, A. C. Brown.
Sheridan, Alva Huff.
Skidmore, C. E. Alson.
St. Joseph-First Church, Charles Wentworth; Grace, G. E. DeWitt; Huffman Memorial, A. L. Rucker; Oakland, W. H. Yount; St. Paul, J. A. Webb; South Park supplied by S. S. Mahan; Wesley supplied by J. O. Taylor.
Tarkio, Ben F. Jones.
Watson to be supplied.
Westboro, C. H. Sauceman.

The following district superintendents were appointed: Brookfield district, C. J. English; Cameron district, E. H. Thompson; Kirksville district, C. H. Brott; and St. Joseph district, Ernest Snider.

The Rev. J. V. Hawk of Pickering goes to Linneus, F. C. Fay goes to Chillicothe.

Motor to Des Moines

Dr. and Mrs. Charles T. Bell, Mrs. J. B. Robinson and son, Chilton Robinson, motored to Des Moines, Ia., yesterday where the latter will remain to resume his studies at Drake University. The other members of the party expect to return to Maryville tomorrow.

Texas Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Burdick and children, Mildred, Sherman and Richard, of Sulphur Springs, Tex., are visiting Mrs. Burdick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Casey. Mrs. Burdick and children will remain in Maryville to attend school this winter. Mrs. C. M. Casey went to Omaha last Tuesday where Dr. Gifford performed an operation on her eye for cataract. She is doing nicely and will be able to return home in about a week.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE WILL BE FRIDAY NIGHT

Speaker Is Prominent Business Man of Chicago—No Charge For Admission

Frank H. Leonard of Chicago, a member of the Christian Science Board of Boston, Mass., will deliver a lecture on Christian Science Friday night, September 23, instead of Friday afternoon as announced in Saturday's paper.

The lecture will be given at 8 o'clock at the Empire Theater and there will be no charge for admission. Mr. Leonard is a prominent business man of Chicago and sits on the board of directors of several large corporations there.

MUNICIPAL CHORUS MEETS TOMORROW

WILL BE ORGANIZED AT CONSERVATORY BUILDING

CHURCH CHOIRS INVITED

All Denominations, Townspeople and Students Will Unite in Organization of 150 Voices

A municipal chorus for Maryville will be organized at 7:15 o'clock tomorrow night at the Conservatory Building by Charles R. Gardner, director of the State Teachers' College Conservatory of Music, who will be its conductor.

Mr. Gardner enlisted the male voices for the chorus first, because they are usually in the minority. A large number of men have signed up, and the conductor now asks the women to join at the meeting tomorrow night.

"A splendid group of men have pledged themselves, and now we ask the women of the town to support it," he says. "I want to insist that they come tomorrow evening just to enroll even if they can't stay the entire evening. After the chorus is organized we can't take any more in, because we will have the parts balanced and can't disturb them. The organization will be built along the lines of the modern community chorus."

Church choirs of all denominations, the townspeople generally, College and High School students are invited to join the chorus, which the director wants to be as large as possible. Voices need not be trained. The desire to sing is all that is needed. College credit will be given to students of college rank, and high school credit to those of high school rank.

The chorus will meet one night a week for one hour rehearsal. The meeting tomorrow night is merely for organization.

The singers will study the best choral works, one of which will be produced at the end of the school year, as part of the spring festival of music to be staged with the aid of visiting soloists. The aim of the chorus is to develop an appreciation of the best in sacred and secular music. The first selections will be a group of choruses by Gounod, followed by one of the well known oratorios.

There will be no expense to the singers, other than buying their own music, which will be a very small amount.

"The chorus will have at least 150 voices," said Mr. Gardner. "I see no reason why we should limit ourselves to what towns of like size have done. With our facilities we can accomplish the same things that are done in the larger cities."

FIGHT LOOMS BETWEEN HOWAT AND JOHN LEWIS

Fiery Kansas Will Oppose More Conservative Leader at Mine Worker's Convention

Indianapolis, Sept. 19—Prospects of a heated verbal battle between John Lewis and Alexander Howat on the floor of the United Mine Workers convention which opens here tomorrow loomed today. The fiery Kansas leader is prepared, according to advance delegates, to give Lewis a battle on the wage issue. Howat, it is declared, will insist on increased wages, while Lewis is expected to stand for the wage scale now in force and go on record as opposing any cut.

To State Legion Meet.

Walter S. Todd left this afternoon for St. Joseph to attend the American Legion state convention. He will represent the James Edward Gray American Legion Post of this city. June Blagg of Maryville is also attending the convention.

RED CROSS NURSE DELAYED IN COMING

IS CALLED TO ATTEND BOY ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

MISS TURNER KEPT BUSY

Has Hands Full Helping Former Service Men Saturday—Hope to Find Missing Money.

Mrs. Eva Hackney, new Red Cross nurse for Nodaway County, did not arrive last night to begin her duties, but will be here soon, according to a special delivery letter received by Miss Betty Turner, home service secretary. The letter was from T. W. Box, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Lamar, the home of Mrs. Hackney. It was as follows:

"Mrs. Eva Hackney, Red Cross nurse, requested me to write to you in regard to her coming to Maryville. She was called last Sunday to care for a young boy who was accidentally shot. It was a serious wound and she had to give up her vacation to Branson, but she thought the boy would recover sufficiently for her to keep her appointment at you town Monday, but the boy did not do quite so well as she expected, so it will be impossible for her to arrive in Maryville before Monday. She will wire you from Kansas City when she will be in Maryville.

"Barton County people think a great deal of Mrs. Hackney and will expect you to take good care of her during her sojourn in your county."

Mrs. Hackney will begin her nursing activities as soon as possible. The important features of her work are the baby clinics, health center duties, examination of school children and giving of advice to mothers. She has tow sons, 13 and 17 years old. She has not written whether she will bring them here to enter school.

Last year Miss Anna Heisler assisted local physicians in making examinations of all children in the Maryville schools. The data gathered from these examinations was sent to Jefferson City and thence to Washington, where it was complied and tabulated. The tabulations have been returned here and will be made public by Supt. L. E. Ziegler tomorrow, with a careful check of the cases where defects have since been corrected.

Miss Turner had a busy day Saturday at the Red Cross Rooms. At one time eight former service men were waiting for her advice on compensation, insurance, vocational training and similar problems. They were from Clearmont, Skidmore, Burlington Junction, Hopkins, Elmo and Maryville and vicinity.

One interesting case in which Miss Turner has hopes of success is that of a soldier who gave $100 to a Y. M. C. A. secretary to be sent home to his father. He was then at Camp Pike, Ark., and soon afterward was sent overseas. Mail came irregularly there, and it was not until he returned home that he found the money had not been received. He gave the money up as lost until recently, when he read of the free services offered by the Red Cross. He reported the loss to Miss Turner, who immediately wrote to the national council. Although the loser has no receipt for the money and did not know the name of the secretary to whom he gave it, Miss Turner has sent affidavits and believes the money may be recovered.

At the Empire Tonight.

Leonard & White, singing comedians of St. Louis, will be an added attraction at the Empire Theater this evening. The picture "Something to Think About," by Cecil B. DeMilles is the attraction this evening.

Mrs. Sarah Wolcott has returned from a week's visit in Dawson with her son, Charles Bird, and her nephew, Delbert Bird. She also spent one day in Burlington Junction at the bedside of Mrs. T. B. Groves, who is seriously ill.

Electric Theatre

Tonight and Tomorrow

ALICE BRADY in

"LITTLE ITALY"

The story of a girl who knew that she could hate and learned that she could love. Also International News tonight. Comedy tomorrow night. Matinee at 3:30 and 11c and 22c. Night 7:30 and 9:00—11c and 22c.

RAILROAD SHOPMEN WILL VOTE AGAIN ON STRIKE

Will Wait Until After New Working Rules are Announced by Railway Labor Board.

Chicago, Sept. 19.—A strike of the railroad shopmen belonging to the federal shop craft unions hinges today upon the promulgation of working rules now being considered by the railway labor board. The strike has been authorized by the membership of shopmen's unions against the wage cuts ordered by the board, but action will be deferred until the new code of new working rules is announced.

A new strike vote, to be taken by B. M. Jewell, president of the railway employees department of the American Federation of Labor, will be announced when the new working code is completed. If a strike is favored, the result will be put before the railroad magnates.

WAS SENTENCED TO THE REFORM SCHOOL

CARL HILDRETH, 16 YEARS OLD, GETS 2-YEAR SENTENCE

ADMITS TAKING MONEY

Young Boy Was Caught Saturday When He Broke Into the Library —His Fifth Time

Carl Hildreth was sentenced to two years in the reform school at a session of juvenile court held this afternoon before Judge Dawson. He will be taken to that school in Boonville this evening by Sheriff Roach.

Carl Hildreth, a 16-year-old boy, living in Maryville was arrested at 10 o'clock Saturday night after he had entered the Carnegie Free Public Library with the intent of committing a robbery. He was arrested just after he had entered the building and had not opened the cash drawer when he was arrested by the officers.

Hildreth admited to the officers that this was the fifth time he had entered the library. On each of the other occasions he took money from the cash drawer. The first of these entrances was gained the night of the Centennnial Celebration when he took $5. Since then he has broken into the building three times, taking $2.50 on two occasions and $4 the fourth time. The money stolen altogether amounts to $14.

After the building had been entered four times a trap was set and a special officer was stationed on the inside of the library building. Saturday night the boy came to the building and forced an entrance through one of the north windows. As soon as he had dropped to the floor inside the building he was arrested.

Mayor Robinson, Marshall Tilton, a special detective, and Ed Wallace were present when the arrest was made, and Prosecuting Attorney McCaffrey arrived soon after. Hildreth was taken to the county jail.

In a confession the boy stated that he had entered the building because he needed the money. He also said that he had stolen from the East End Store on two occasions. From the store he had taken five packages of cigarettes and four packages of gum.

THREE FUNERALS LARGELY ATTENDED

V. F. W. CONDUCTS PROCTOR RITES AT PICKERING

KNEW HIS HANDKERCHIEF

Parents of Arthur T. Graves Sure of Son's Identity After Opening The Casket

Pickering, Burlington Junction and Elmo had their largest soldier funerals yesterday, when last tributes were paid to Harry W. Proctor, Arthur T. Graves and Leslie Adams.

The services for Proctor were held on the lawn of the Pickering church. The procession from the home to the church was led by the Maryville band in uniform, followed by Commander Ed Condon and Chaplain Theodore Robinson of the Seth Ray David Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, which had charge of the services. The color bearers were Jack Pennington and Francis Bluel and the color guards were Jack Tallman and Henderson Aley. All were mounted.

The coffin was borne on a caisson drawn by six black horses. Riding the caisson horses were Earl Anderson, John Prather and Cecil Hyde. Members of the Veterans of Foriegn Wars and of the Ravenwood and Hopkins posts of the American Legion and women of the V. F. W. Auxiliary followed the caisson.

Services on Lawn.

Services on the church lawn were conducted by the Rev. W. A. Chapman, assisted by the Rev. J. V. Hawk. The funeral party then went to the White Oak cemetery, where the V. F. W. ceremonies were held, with a short sermon by the Rev. J. A. Cooper of Maryville, a former overseas chaplain.

In one field thrown open to cars at the cemetery, 250 automobiles were counted.

The members of the firing squad, commanded by Harry P. Gray, were Charles Wiles, Francis Cummins, Robert Garten, Benjamin Hale, Pierre Karr, Earl Pope, Otis Gault and William E. Walker. Forrest Woodard was bugler.

The pall bearers were Vernie King, Orville McClurg, Delmar Carmichael, Charles Saddler, Will McKee and Orlen Kelley.

The members of the band were Director C. D. Kutschinski, Leon Cannon, Lorin Price, Hal Hooker, C. C. Leeson, O. K. Bovard, Lawrence Schumacher, Paul Neal, William Gaugh, Harold Stafford, Lawrence Shanks, Loren Schnabel, Albert Butherus, Forrest Froman, Theodore Murray, Orrin Miller and J. C. Bruner.

Young Proctor's death was due to an accidental knife wound inflicted by one of his comrades while a group of soldiers were waiting for a train at Ehrenbreitstein. The comrade, George Cummings, had gone to sleep and in attempting to awaken him young Proctor received the knife wound. His comrade being half asleep and thinking that he was in the hands of some station hangers-

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THE WEATHER

Local thundershowers probably this afternoon or tonight; cooler in the west portion Tuesday.

Empire Theatre Program

THIS WEEK

MONDAY AND TUESDAY

CECIL B. DeMILLES
Production

"Something To Think About"

With All Star Cast

TONIGHT—Bob and Bill Series. TUESDAY—Comedy. TONIGHT—Without extra charge, Leonard & White, singing comedians.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY
DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS
in
"THE MOLLY CODDLE"

WEDNESDAY—Comedy. THURSDAY—Pathe News.

FRIDAY—Free Christian Science Lecture.

SATURDAY—Dorothy Gish in "THE GHOST IN THE GARRET." Also Comedy.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

BURLINGTON JUNCTION WINS ELEVENTH STRAIGHT GAME

Defeats Ravenwood Comets, 6-1—Sheridan Beats Maryville White Stars, 5-3

Burlington Junction won her eleventh straight victory yesterday when she defeated the Ravenwood Comets at Burlington Junction by a score of 6 to 1. The only Ravenwood tally was made in the third inning when Bishop Knocked a three bagger over center with one man on.

Monk, the Junction pitcher, allowed six hits, and did not hit or walk a man. Ross, who hurled for the Comets, allowed eleven safe drives and hit one man. Ravenwood made six errors to two for Burlington Junction.

A very good crowd was in attendance and the weather was good for fast ball.

The Burlington team will play the St. Joseph Federals at Burlington Junction next Sunday. A fast game is expected. The batteries yesterday were:

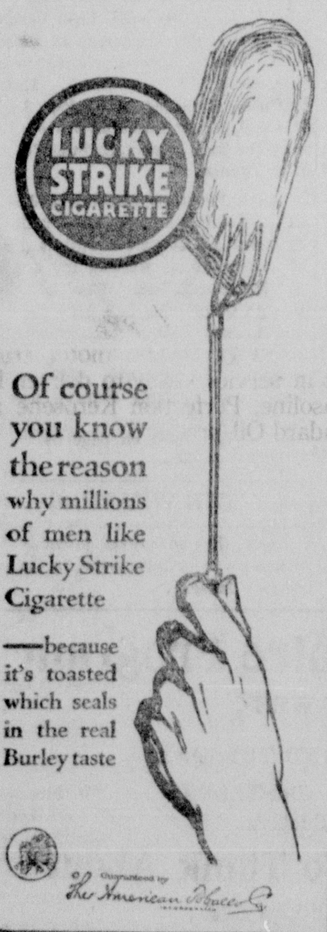
Burlington Junction—Monk and Hagey. Ravenwood—Ross and Bishop. Umpire—Plummer.

Sheridan defeated the Maryville White Stars, 5-3, in a game played at Sheridan. The battery for the winners was composed of Rusco and Rusco.

Return From New Mexico.

Mrs. J. S. Ford and daughter, Merle, will return tonight from an extended visit in Dulce, New Mex., with Mrs. Ford's daughter, Miss Alice Ford. Miss Ford is a nurse in the government Indian hospital there.

License to marry was issued in St. Joseph Saturday to N. McCleave of Hopkins and Miss Goldie Brand of Kansas City.



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GIRL STUDENT IS HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT YESTERDAY

Miss Alletia Young Receives Cut Over Left Eye When Cars Crash Sunday Afternoon

Miss Alletia Young of Braymer, a student at the State Teachers College, suffered a bad cut on her left temple Sunday afternoon while riding in a car driven by Miss Alma Appleby of this city, when the car was struck by another, driven by John R. Tolbert, who lives west of Maryville.

The accident occurred on East Third Street at 5 o'clock.

Miss Appleby was driving east on Third Street when she saw the car driven by Tolbert coming west on the same street. She pulled her car as far to the right as possible and slowed down to let the other car pass. Tolbert, who was on the wrong side of the street, evidently did not see Miss Appleby until he was too close to turn aside or stop.

Glen Lawler, who was with Tolbert in the car, said that he was looking the other way and did not see the Appleby car at all until the crash came.

The accident was witnessed by Clarence Warren, who lives on third street within a few rods of where it occurred. In speaking of it, he said, "I saw both cars before the crash occurred and Tolbert was on the wrong side of the street. It looked like he didn't see the other car."

When asked if either of the cars was exceeding the speed limit he said, "I didn't notice the speed of either of the cars. I just happened to be standing in the door and saw them as they came together."

With Miss Appleby in her car were Miss Young and Miss Mary Holt. Miss Holt and Miss Appleby were uninjured and the cut on Miss Young's head was caused by her being thrown against the wind-shield of the car. She was taken to a physician, who took stitches in her head. Other than a considerable loss of blood, Miss Young did not suffer any bad effects from the accident.

Both of the cars were damaged to some extent. The car driven by Tolbert had both of the front wheels completely torn from the axle, the connecting rods bent and the fender smashed; while the Appleby car received a bent axle, a broken left front wheel and a broken spring.

Tolbert appeared before Mayor Robinson this morning and was fined $5 and costs. He pleaded guilty to the charge of careless driving.

ADVOCATE DRESS REFORM FOR BROOKFIELD GIRLS

School Board Adopts Hands Off Policy and Passes the Buck to Parents.

Old Doc Blue Laws will have poor pickings with the school board of Brookfield this year when it comes to forcing his views on the safe and sane methods of moral uplift. The board has "passed the buck" to the parents on the vital questions of powder puffs, lip sticks, rolled hosiery and the manner in which girls should dress who attend the public schools.

The school board held that the question of dress reform is not a matter to be disposed of by making rules but is a matter for the parents to decide.

As a result the Parent Teachers' Association took the matter up and conceived the idea of visiting the homes. Parents were asked to say they were in favor of a few resolutions. They were not asked to do anything extreme, merely to see that silk hose, powder and rouge, which could be seen two blocks away, be abolished. Also, that extreme style silk and satin dresses, georgette waists and loose weave sweaters be placed under ban.

Very few of the parents who were visited refused to sign the resolutions.

W. W. JONES LEASES ROMASSER HOME; BLAGGS TO COUNTRY

Mrs. W. W. Jones and little daughter, Elizabeth Edwards, returned Friday evening from Esmond, N. D. and are at the home of Mrs. Jones' sister, Mrs. L. P. Colvin. Mr. Jones will remain at Esmond for two weeks longer on account of threshing.

Mr. Jones has leased the Romasser home at 525 West Third street, and they will take possession first of October. The house has been occupied by James Blagg and family, who will move to a farm seven miles southwest of Maryville.

Are Visiting Here

Mr. and Mrs. Al Dragoo and daughters, Mrs. E. L. Andrews and Mrs. Ames Swedell of Holdredge, Neb., are visiting in Maryville with the families of Leo and Logan Strong, and Mrs. George Eisenmen.

Return From Kansas City

Mrs. E. L. Townsend, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend and children, Bohn and Lillian, and Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend's mother, Mrs. Henry Bohn of Denver, Colo., returned Saturday night from Kansas City where they were guests at the Muehlebach Hotel for a few days.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

PRICES ARE DOWN!

Cautious buyers who for months have been carefully feeling their way, buying only the necessities, will on inspection discover that it is possible to find merchandise at this store at the good old value-giving calibre, down to reasonable prices once more.

CHILDREN'S GINGHAM DRESSES

One lot of childrens g'ingham dresses, nearly all sizes, some are slightly soiled and mussed from handling, will be sold out now at each only..... $1.00

SUITS

Never before in our history have we shown such a wonderful line of ladies' suits as we are showing this season. The new suits are made of such materials as Panvelaine, Normandy, Moussaline, Valdyne, Pollyanna, etc. Make your selection now while you can get the size, color and style that you want.

FUR COATS

Fur coats promise to be very popular the coming season and exceedingly low prices this year on fur coats will make every woman want one. Don't afil to see our wonderful collection of these garments from..... $47.50 up

JERSEY SILK UNDERWEAR

Here are two real bargains in fancy silk underwear made in the new Richelieu ribbed vests and bloomers. These offer an excellent quality at exceedingly low prices that come in flesh, orchid, kelly, navy and black. Vests only, each..... $2.50

CURTAIN MARQUISETTE

Here is a real bargain in a 36 inch plain curtain marquisette, in white, cream or ecru, now only, yd..... 19c

ROMPERS, PLAYSUITS AND WAISTS

Here is an excellent bargain in boys' waists, cover-all play suits, and rompers, in a large assortment for this week's selling, your choice of the entire lot at, each only..... 69c

LOW PRICES ON GOOD SILKS

40 inch all silk, heavy quality Crepe de Chine in any color that you might want, now only, per yard..... $1.24

32 inch heavy weight, excellent quality all silk pongee, per yard only..... 89c

36 inch plain Messaline, in an excellent quality now only per yard..... $1.35

36 inch extraordinary, fine high grade, dress Satins, in black, brown, navy and taupe, a very special at per yard only..... $3.50

40 inch all silk Tricollette, in navy, brown, black and white, now only, per yard..... $1.49

HANDKERCHIEFS

Here are two big bargains in ladies' handkerchiefs. All pure linen, plain hemstitched handkerchiefs, a real bargain at each only..... 19c

One large lot of ladies' fancy embroidered handkerchiefs, regular 50c values, many of them are slightly soiled and mussed from handling, your choice now only, each..... 25c

RIBBONS

Here is a big special in an all silk hair-bow ribbon, 5, 5½ and 6 inches wide, in stripes and plaids, and fancy warp prints, a real bargain only, per yard..... 39c

"AMOSKEAG" APRON GINGHAM

The old reliable "Amoskeag" apron gingham, a good assortment of checks, now only per yard..... 12½c

NECKWEAR

New vests with collars and cuffs to match and large assortments of the new collar and cuff sets. Be sure and see this wonderful array of new fall neckwear.

WOOL JERSEY CLOTH

50 inches wide, ideal for jumper dresses, for one width is all that is required, all wool, very fine quality, per yard only..... $2.98

WOOLNAP BLANKETS

Here is a bargain in an extra large size wool nap blanket, a beautiful range of plaids, extra heavy weight, a very special value for this week's selling at each only..... $3.89

NEW PERCALES

A choice assortment of new fall percales in dark and light grounds, 36 inches wide, a real bargain now at each only..... 15c

42 INCH SERGE

Here is a real bargain in absolutely all wool fine quality French serge, 42 inches wide, comes in navy, brown, wine or black, a real bargain for this week's selling at per yard only..... $1.79

COATS FOR KIDDIES

Here is a real bargain in coats for children from 2 to 10 years old. See them in the show window; made of all wool materials, quilted lining, won't last long at the price. Your choice of this assortment for this week's selling now only, each..... $4.39

NEW COATS FOR LADIES

The new coats for ladies are very stylish and a wonderful array of new materials this season, and all are very moderately priced, both fur and self-trimmed, prices range from..... $15 to $125

CALICO

The very best grade of calico in assorted desirable patterns in both light and dark colors now only per yard..... 9c

COMFORT MATERIALS

Now is the time to buy materials for making comforts.

36 inch Challies in a beautiful range of patterns now only, yard..... 19c

36 inch, the very best quality in a large range of new patterns of Silkolines now only per yard..... 25c

2½ lb Comfort Cotton Bat, opens into one large sheet, 72x90 inches, each only..... 65c

3 lb Cotton Bat opens up into one large sheet, very fine pure white cotton, each only..... 85c

Haines

The Biggest Little Store in the United States.

Social Gossip and Clubs

Club Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Country Club has been postponed from Thursday afternoon to September 29 when Mrs. O. L. Shell will be the hostess.

Hull Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hull entertained with a 1 o'clock dinner Sunday when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Miles and the latter's mother, Mrs. Margaret Logue.

Colvin Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Colvin entertained at dinner Sunday when their guests included Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Dusenberry of Memphis, Mo., Miss Cora LaMar of Elmo, and Mrs. W. W. Jones and daughter, Elizabeth Edwards.

Mothers Club

The Mothers Club of the Buchanan Street Methodist Church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. J. Pyle on Prather Avenue.

Called Meeting

A called meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of Seth Ray David Post will be held at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night at the Post rooms. There is important business to transact and every member is urged to attend.

Hilton Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hilton entertained Sunday with a 1 o'clock dinner at their home near Gaynor. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. James Whitehead, Mr. and Mrs. John Whitehead, Leslie Whitehead, and Raymond, Ralph and Harold Hilton.

Birthday Breakfast.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Todd entertained with a fried chicken breakfast this morning to observe the birthday anniversary of their son, Harry Todd. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Harry Todd and daughters, Genevieve, Mary and Winifred, Miss Bessie Todd and the hosts.

Wesleyan Bible Class.

Mrs. Edith Tarpley and Mrs. S. Donahue will be hostesses tomorrow night to the Wesleyan Bible Class of the First Methodist Church at the home of the former, 215 South Market Street. A large attendance is desired as there will be election of officers and other important business.

Mrs. Baker Hostess.

The Fortnightly Bridge club was entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. George B. Baker on West Third street. Mrs. Robert H. Kreider of Chicago, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Tate, and Mrs. Henry Bohm of Denver, Colo., who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend and family, were guests of the club.

For Miss Bookman.

Miss Margaret Remus was hostess at 6 o'clock dinner Sunday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Remus, on West First Street, as a farewell courtesy to Miss Ruth Bookman, who with her sister, Miss Gladys Bookman, left today to enter Rockford College, Rockford, Ill. Additional guests were Miss Laveta Epperson, Miss Ora Mae Condon, Miss Alice Welling and Miss Alice McMurry.

Miss Laveta Epperson entertained the same party at a slumber party Saturday night at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Epperson, 523 West Third Street, in honor of Miss Bookman.

Mission Circle.

"Social Service" was the theme of Saturday's meeting of the Mission Circle of the First Christian Church which was held at the home of Mrs. Harry Todd, Mrs. Dale Bellows, Mrs. Frank Reavis and Mrs. E. W. Glenn were the hostesses. Mrs. Hugh Strong and Mrs. John Neal were guests, and there were thirty-five members present. Mrs. Arch Frank was in charge of the program and she was assisted by Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, who discussed the subject of the afternoon, and Mrs. W. E. Goforth, who read a paper on "How we are meeting the Social Needs in the Home Field." The musical program included solos sung by Mrs. Fred Robinson and Mrs. Fred Bellows. It was decided to send a Christian box to Miss Legge, the Circle's living-link missionary in China. The members also made plans for the semi-annual rummage sale which will be held on October 7.

Observe Three Birthdays

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bailey entertained at Sunday dinner to celebrate the birthday of Mr. Bailey and the birthdays of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Croy. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Devore.

Mary Lawrence Circle.

The Mary Lawrence Circle of the First Christian church will hold its first meeting of the fall tomorrow night at the home of Mrs. Edward W. Gray, 204 North Frederick. Miss Gertrude Condon will be the leader of the program.

A full range of vision with our glasses that restore your sight to normal.

KUCHS BROS.

Optometrists
Maryville, Mo.

TO HAVE PUREBRED POULTRY SHOW HERE IN DECEMBER

Members of Boys' and Girls' Poultry Club Have Raised 967 Chickens of Nineteen Breeds

The Northwest Missouri Poultry Association has arranged to have its annual poultry show at Maryville during the first week in December. One of the features of the show this year will be the classes for poultry raised by members of the Boys' and Girls' Poultry Club.

The association furnished free settings of eggs to about 245 boys and girls in the county last spring. Reports just received from 213 members of the Poultry Club show they have raised 967 pure bred chickens. The number for the different breeds is as follows:

Barred Plymouth Rock—113.
Black Langshan—21.
Buff Leghorn—26.
Ancona—5.
Rhode Island Red—168
Buff Rocks—25.
Light Brahma—16.
Silver Laced Wyandotte—35.
Buff Orpington—190.
Brown Leghorn—21.
White Rocks—107.
White Orpington—40.
Columbian Wyandotte—13.
Black Minorca—19.
White Wyandotte—52.
Silver Leghorn—3.
Buff Wyandotte—33.
White Brahma—8.
White Leghorn—72.

—Farm Bureau News

Return From Western Trip

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Roseberry returned Friday night from a months' motor trip to various points in Colorado and Wyoming. They traveled 2,300 miles. They visited at Casper, Wyo., with Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Patrick; at Chugwater with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad who are on their ranch at that place; at Denver with Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Ellis. At Windsor, Colo., they visited with Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Miller, Rev. Miller being a former pastor of the Christian Church here.

Spent His Vacation Working

Fred Wright, deputy county clerk, has returned from Quitman where he has been the past two months. Mr. Wright took his vacation by working in the Quitman Ice Plant and packing plant, which is owned by R. I. Bilby of that place.

Card of Thanks.

We take this way of thanking our many friends and everyone who have shown us so much sympathy since the death some three months ago, of our son and brother, Harry Proctor. We also thank them again for assisting at the burial and making it so impressive.

Our son and brother gave his life for
his country,
And his body lies buried today
In a casket entwined with "Old Glory"
In his own homeland ever to stay.

To our friends, our neighbors and each
one
Who with us our sorrows did share,
May the God who watched over the soldiers
Take care of you all, is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Proctor
and children.

Edward Judd and Ova Graham of Eagleville arrived in Maryville Saturday night and enrolled in the State Teachers College today.

Bishop Quayle Says It Is Time to Put Fire and Iron in the Blood

"It is time for the Christian people to put fire and iron in the blood," declared Bishop William A. Quayle at the session of the Missouri Conference at Brookfield last week.

Speaking on "Pessimism," Bishop Quayle said: "Has the church lost its power? When you discuss that the church has lost its power you fail to remember that God lives.

"Because of the orgy of crime some had an orgy of pessimism. Criminality has practically resumed its normalcy. The majority of badness cannot control the minority of goodness.

"Why should the great metropolitan press oppose the prohibition amendment with such force? The press of the United States does not run the United States. When the press of the United States goes wrong the people will walk on over its dead body.

Assail Church in Movies

"It is time for the Christian people to put fire and iron in the blood. There is an apparent anomolous conspiracy to make the Protestant Church ridiculous in the movies. I contend no organization, movie or theater in free America shall ridicule the church of God. Let the church of God go on unafraid, keep your steeple in the sky.

"The Christian church dares to do anything that God wants done. People who say that Christ has failed lie."

Here are some of the sayings of the bishop at the conference session:

"Some people think when they are knocking things down they are doing something. They are only making a racket and a nuisance of themselves.

"There are so many false nostrums in this world that we preachers would rather run a swimming pool than teach the Christian religion.

"Yes, God loves us all. But that doesn't mean he likes us all and everything we do. A mother spanks her children, but she loves them.

"Preachers have little enough money. They would have more, though, if they didn't put so much of the little they do have into fool investments.

"A man asked me the other day what he could do with his money to make a safe investment. I said, 'Give it to God.'

"Some of us are so hard to get along with on this earth I don't see how the Lord is ever going to get along with us in heaven.

"There are all sorts of devices to make this world palatable these days. Do you want to know the one device to keep the world established? It is the Christian religion.

"Russia hasn't enough money to feed herself. She has enough money, though, to spread propaganda in this country.

Would Be Nation of Wolves

"A nation of atheists would be a nation of wolves.

A man who has $200 in the bank and buys a $2000 automobile has gas on the brain.

"I would rather walk 200 miles and pay for my shoes than ride 20,000 and have someone else pay for my gasoline.

"A preacher is a prop to society. Christianity is a roof over the world.

"The church is not against money. It is in favor of money, and money is the fruit of industry. I must have money, for my wife needs toggery, and I want to trick her out. She doesn't really need it, but she likes it, and I want her to have it.

"A minister can always get a cheer when he plays the fool. I could get the biggest kind of a cheer if I'd stand up and say I didn't believe in the doctrine of the church, but I'd be lying when I said it.

"The safest money-making institution is character.

A good method to keep out of the poorhouse is to be a good Methodist.

PARNELL WILL HAVE ICE HOUSE BY MILLER & SEYSTER

A deal was made Monday whereby the Parnell Opera House building became the property of Orley Miller and Ben Seyster, and the fixtures, moving picture machine, engine, dynamo, piano, chairs, scenery ect., was purchased by the Odd Fellow lodge and has been moved into their building across the street and as soon as arrangements can be made they will start showing moving pictures regularly.

Miller & Seyster have purchased from the York Manufacturing Co. an Ice Machine which will be installed at once and the citizens of Parnell and vicinity will be able to secure ice for household and commercial use at all times in the year.

Harvey McClary of St. Joseph spent Sunday here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jackson.

Free Lecture on

Christian Science

Next Friday Evening

SEPTEMBER 23, at 8 o'Clock

Empire Theatre

By MR. FRANK H. LEONARD, C. S. B.

of Chicago, Illinois, member of the Board of Lectureship of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Boston, Massachusetts. Everyone invited.

David Harum Tactics Have No Place in Modern Business!

The horse trading proclivities of the shrewd old Yankee have lost caste. They are boomerangs that hit hard on the come-back. They prove too costly to the perpetrator.

It used to be considered good business to trade a horse with the heaves for one that was sound in wind and limb. But business today is done on such a broad scale—every merchant and manufacturer has so long a list of patrons—that it would not do to have a reputation of "slipping something over."

The basis of modern business is honesty. Advertising has standardized almost every article you can buy. You know what to expect and what to pay. You don't have to bargain, and dicker and haggle to know that you are getting as good as you give.

That is why it pays to read advertisements and to buy advertised goods. A product's advertising is the best guarantee of its faithful performance and lasting usefulness or of its definite quality.

If you value constant satisfaction—if you want to get your full money's worth every time, read the advertisements. In them you will find much to save you mony, time and energy.

Whether you want food, clothing, furniture or a toy for the children, the advertisements can help you.

TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF AN ADVERTISEMENT IS TO GET REAL VALUE.

Real Estate Transfers

List of Instruments filed in the Recorder's office of Nodaway County Beginning September 10; S. H. Kemp to F. L. Garrett Lt. 11 Part 12 Blk. 1, Robinson 2nd add. Maryville, $3400.

L. M. Collinsworth to J. L. Noble, Lts. 10-11 & 12 Blk. 3 Ravenwood, $1000.

I. A. Goodson to Walter Davis and wife Lt. 3 in ½ Blk. 5 Goodson 1st add Ravenwood, $600.

John Fields to Geo. Fields et al Part Lts. 7 & 8 Blk.38 City Coc add Maryville $4.

R. J. Zarn to R. H. Rees Part 4 and 5 East Add. Burlington Junction $800.

Ed Horn to B. C. Hallsa Lts. 7-8 and 9 Blk. 6, Scotts add. Elmo, $1700.

S. H. Kemp to N. B. Hagin and wife Part NW4 Blk. 23 Maryville $3500.

E. J. Force et al to F. F. Kent E½ Blk 2 Fletchers add Graham $900.

– aged in the wood
(2 years)
pipe tobacco

You know what that means—

Mild and Mellow

And as for cigarettes—
nothing less

LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.

A Two-Fisted Job

FOR many years the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has been perfecting an organization with the sole purpose of giving the consuming public a maximum of service at a mininum of cost.

To do this, four large refineries have been built and equipped; 3,700 bulk stations have been placed at strategic points throughout the 11 states served; more than 1,300 service stations have been located at convenient points so that Standard Oil Company (Indiana) products may be obtained every few miles in the country and every few blocks in the city.

Fleets of tank wagons and motor trucks are always in service ready to deliver Red Crown Gasoline, Perfection Kerosene and other Standard Oil products to consumers, wherever they may live.

In organizing this vast net-work of service, those responsible for the management of the Company have had two major objects in view; first to reduce the cost of manufacturing, marketing and distributing to the lowest point possible; second, to make prices which would be fair to the consuming public.

While mindful of the rights and privileges of its competitors, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) believes that its first duty is to the consuming public.

During the present unsettled conditions in the petroleum industry, this Company has reduced the selling price of its goods as rapidly as sound management would permit, and it proposes to continue this practice.

This policy conforms to the established practice of the Company of letting service take care of volume, and volume take care of profits and return to the 20,621 stockholders, not one of whom owns as much as 10 per cent of the capital stock.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2585

NAT GOLDSTEIN TO LAND POSTOFFICE?

ASPIRANT RECEIVED $2,500 FROM THE LOWDEN SLUSH FUND.

SEN. SPENCER AIDS HIM

Housecleaners Given Severe Jolt in Federal Appointments Being Made.

Housecleaners in the Republican party of Missouri will probably be delighted to know that Nat Goldstein, leader of the St. Louis Republican machine and the recipient of $2,500 in the Lowden slush fund scandal last year, is slated to be postmaster of the City of St. Louis because of the support given his candidacy by Senator Selden P. Spencer.

It developed in St. Louis that Goldstein has the support of practically all Republican leaders or that they are not "taking any part" in the selection of a postmaster when an attack was made on Goldstein's appointment by several groups of Protestant ministers. The ministers oppose Goldstein because of the fact that he figured in a gambling game which was raided in the Claridge Hotel in St. Louis recently.

One of the surprises of the development is that fact that Edmond Koeln, chief of the "housecleaners" who fought Goldstein bitterly in 1920 is said to view with considerable pleasure Goldstein's move to become postmaster.

That Jake Babler, "Liv" Morse, Tom Huckreder and other leaders of the "old guard" will be more than pleased goes without saying for they have been silently smiling since the election of President Harding because of having put one over on those who had delegated themselves with the authority to manage the affairs of the party. The first tilt with the "housecleaners" came over the appointment of Charlie Madison as United States District Attorney at Kansas City. This selection was made over the "protest" of Senator Spencer but the Senator will not be caught again. He has joined in the request that Goldstein be named.

Opponents to Goldstein declare that the support of Spencer has been assured him from the start because of the mysterious meeting in Pittsburg with Spencer just before the Lowden money was turned over to Babler for distribution among the "faithful" to secure delegates to the Republican national convention for the Illinois Governor.

John Schmoll, former Republican chairman in St. Louis, is an applicant for postmaster, but it seems he will be shoved off to another political job. Schmoll has been having hard picking since his defeat last year. Mayor Kiel let him out of a soft city berth and now he is being shifted from the postoffice. It seems that Schmoll is being kicked from pillar to post.

The appointment of Goldstein indicates that a truce has been made with Koeln and it is expected that Koeln, Kiel and Goldstein will form an alliance for the purpose of controlling politics. It has been known that Koeln has not been "mad at" the other fellows. He broke with them when the breaking was good.

The Lowden slush fund exposure, he realized, would defeat McJimsey for the gubernatorial nomination and as a result rushed to the aid of Arthur M. Hyde, and has never been very close to the state administration where the picking has been good for the original Hyde men.

Every day indicates that more and more the fact that the "housecleaners" have been thoroughly cleaned so far as the matter of Federal combine is in control of the Republican party in Missouri.

FORMER MARYVILLE MAN ROUTS A WOULD-BE ROBBER.

Dundee, Omaha's fashionable residential suburb, must have its thrills.

With "Fatty" in jail and his flims barred, an unidentified men came to the rescue and drove away the ennui that threatened.

Armed with a gun of the Bill Hart variety he order Mrs. Ben Pasley, 117 South Fiftieth avenue, to throw up her hands.

Instead, she ran screaming across the backyard.

Clyde Masters, 115 South Fiftieth avenue, next door, rushed forth in wild west attire. He fired two shots at the fleeing prowler.

A scampering of highly excited Dundee residents ensued. "Gats" were unearthed from under pillows, dresser drawers and other hiding places as the curious rushed forth to lend their assistance.—Omaha World-Herald.

Clyde Masters is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Masters of Maryville. He was formerly a piano salesman here but is now in the automobile business in Omaha.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

The Scrap Book

ALPHONSE WAS ON HIS WAY

Under the Circumstances He Naturally Felt the Call to Duty Was Imperative.

"Alphonse," said the heiress, "I have been seriously thinking."

"Thinking of me, precious?" asked Alphonse.

"Indirectly, yes. I have been thinking that if you married me, everybody would say you only did so in order to get my money and control of my property."

"What do I care for the unthinking world?"

"But, Alphonse, I will marry you."

"My own dar—"

"And I will not have people say unkind things about you, so I have arranged to give my fortune to the missionaries. Why, Alphonse, where are you going?"

Alphonse paused long enough on his way to the door to look back and mutter: "I'm going to be a missionary."

BRAIN MATERIAL TO SPARE

Apparently Nature Has Provided Mankind With More Thinking Material Than Is Required.

The World war gave unprecedented opportunities for the study of injuries to the brain.

There were instances in which individual fighting men lost as much as a teacupful of brain substance without impairment of their mental faculties. Extraordinary!

The reason is not easy of explanation. But apparently nature provides us with more brain material than we need to think with, and we can spare quite a bit of it without serious consequences, unless some essential structure be entirely destroyed.

One thing the brain will not endure is compression. In childhood the skull may be squeezed all out of shape without harmful result. The Flathead Indians do that, and so do aboriginal peoples in other parts of the world. But even a clot of blood, due to cerebral hemorrhage, is liable to cause paralysis, and local pressure of a bone may render a person insane.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Radiophone Music.

It appears very much as though we are on the verge of a new era in radio communication, namely, radiophone music for the home. The idea, in brief, says the Scientific American, is to have radiophone stations at central points sending out concert music as well as speeches and lectures via radio, and compact and simple radio receiving sets in various homes, clubs and so on to intercept the waves. Already there are several radiophone stations in operation, and at least one wireless company has developed a receiving set made in the form of a cabinet phonograph, incorporating a concealed loud-speaking telephone unit, so that the music, speech, lecture or other radiophone transmission can be heard throughout a room. It is believed by radio men that leading manufacturers of radio equipment will see fit to maintain radiophone concert and lecture service for their patrons.

Levied on Skunk for Fur.

A most amusing and unexpected bit of evidence as to the resourcefulness of wild animals was seen by a Fort Collins, Colo., man who has a pet skunk and a squirrel caged together. The two animals are firm friends, but when the squirrel wanted material to build a nest it proceeded to chew enough fur off the skunk's back. Now the innocent skunk has a bald spot as big as a saucer, and the squirrel has a nest made, partially at least, of skunk fur.

Rooster Hatched Out Family.

In the poultry yard of a Pennsylvania man is a bantam rooster which is caring for four little chicks it hatched out recently. About eight weeks ago the family missed the crowing of the bantam rooster, which usually began at 4 a. m. and continued for an hour or more. It was found sitting on the nest, clucking like a hen. All efforts to make him leave the nest failed. Seven eggs were put under him, four of which hatched.

Another Dinosaur Discovered.

Another dinosaur has been discovered in Alberta. This later "find" is of an entirely new species, and, according to Dr. W. A. Parkes, professor of geology at the University of Toronto, it is the only one of its kind ever discovered. The bones of this new dinosaur, extinct many thousands of years ago, were discovered by a party which explored Alberta under Prof. Parkes' instructions.

Registered His Own Birth.

To register his own birth after becoming of age was the unique experience of a young man in Quebec. A reader says that when the young man applied for a birth certificate he learned that his parents had never registered him.

Hunter's Lucky Shot.

A hare was shot while up a tree by a Manitoba hunter. The animal had been caught by a huge hawk and as it was rising with its prey the hunter got both on the one shot.

Has Picture of Fourth Constitutional Convention

A photograph of the members of Missouri's Fourth Constitutional convention, held in 1875, and which is thought to be the only picture of the convention now in existence, is in the possession of Carl Deeg, of Jefferson City, according to the Missouri State Journal.

Mr. Deeg has had the picture ever since he opened his studio twenty-one years ago and thinks it was left there by the former owner. The picture was made by Downing & Winans, of Jefferson City.

While the picture is yellowed with age, the photographs of the members are practically unmarred. In the upper left hand corner is a picture of the capitol building which was then used. In the upper right hand corner is the Governor's Mansion which stands today. It shows a difference, however. Then there were no trees in the yard and one lone gas lamp served for illumination.

An interesting feature of the picture is the apparent abundance of beards among the statesmen of the time and the noticeable lack of baldness. Of the sixty-eight men represented in the picture, not one is bald and only four appear without beards.

Mr. Deeg prizes the picture very highly and is sorry that he did not take it to the State Fair at Sedalia to be shown in the exhibit of the Missouri State Historical Society. At this time, when interest all over the state is developing over the coming state Constitutional convention the picture takes on added interest and value and should be included in the collection of the Missouri State Historical Society.

Members from the various districts of the state made up the convention of 1875. Among them were numbered such men as Joseph Pulitzer, the organizer and owner of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch and New York World. William F. Switzler of Columbia, in whose honor one of the buildings at the State University was dedicated, and Elijah H. Norton, of St. Joseph, who afterward became a member of the Supreme Court of the state, and Lewis F. Cotty, of Edina, who draws his distinction from the fact that he was the youngest delegate to attend the convention.

The convention met at Jefferson City, May 5, 1875, and elected Waldo P. Johnson president. A thorough revision of the entire organic law of the state was made and the adoption of the Constitution by a vote of sixty ayes and no noes is emphatic of the unity and purpose which actuated the body. The convention adjourned Aug. 2, 1875. The Constitution was ratified when submitted to the people by a majority of 76,688.

At the convention of 1875, sixty-one of the delegates were Democrats, five were Republicans and two were Liberals. At the coming Constitutional convention such a preponderance of delegates from one political party will not be possible since the plan is to elect two delegates from each senatorial district, one from each of the great parties. In addition to this fifteen delegates will be elected at large.

Missouri has had four Constitutional conventions. The first was held in 1820 and the first constitution of the state enacted. It must have been well nigh perfect, as it answered, with few amendments, every requirement for forty-five years. The second convention, which was held in 1845, proved a failure as the people of the state refused to ratify it by a majority vote of 9,000. The third convention was held during the turbulent times of 1865.

The following is the list of the delegates to the fourth convention of 1875, in full: James C. Roberts, Henry Boone, Elijah H. Norton, D. C Allen, J. A. Holliday, John B. Hale, John H. Shanklin, Wesley Halliburton, Charles Hammond, A. M. Alexander, H. M. Porter, John R. Ripley, B. R. Dysart, William F. Switzler, John F. Rucker, H. C. Lackland, L J. Dryden, A. V. McKee, N. C. Hardin, Levi J. Wagner, Lewis Cotty, Edward McCabe, William Priest William Crisman, F. M. Black, Waldo Johnson, E. A. Nickerson, S. R. Crockett, J. H. Taylor, Henry C. Wallace, W. H. Letcher, B. F. Massey, John Ray, C. B. McAffee, G. W. Bradfield, J. W. Ross, T. W. B. Crews, John Hyer, J. H. Maxey, Philip Pipkin, E. V. Conway, J. F. Edwards, Pinkey Mabrey, N. W. Watkins, G. W. Carlton, L. H. Davis, J. H. Rider, A. M. Lay, T. J. Kelly, Washington Adams, J. P. Ross, J. O. Broadhead, Albert Todd, Joseph Pulitzer, Thos Gantt, Amos Taylor, Henry Spaunhorst, Nicholas Mortell, Henry Brockmeyer, J. C. Edwards, Malcomb McKillop, T. J. Johnson, Charles Eitzen, George Shields, Henry Mudd, R. W. Fyan, Lewis Gottschalk.

Mrs. W. Ben Turner of Sayre, Okla., and Miss Edna Bonewitz of Topeka, Kan., accompanied by the former's sons, Billy and Edwin, who came to Maryville to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. W. A. Bonewitz, went to Savannah this afternoon to visit their brother, B. A. Bonewitz and family.

WHAT A DEMOCRATIC PAPER HAS TO SAY ABOUT CAL PIERCE

The following is from the St. Joseph Observer published by Frank Freytag:

It is quite a long way until there will be an election for United States senator from Missouri—but the time is coming—and the gops as well as the Democrats are looking over the field. In this connection the name of Hon. W. C. (Cal) Pierce of Maryville has been mentioned for the Republican nomination and right here and now this paper asserts that the Nodaday county man is not only the best but the strongest man that grand old party of mistakes and mishaps could put up.

To Get Some Ideas Here

H. I. Foskett, chairman of the Jubilee week program, spent yesterday in Maryville, Missouri, on business and incidentally looking up features of our Jubilee celebration. Maryville had a similar event a few days ago and we are able to get some good ideas from stunts they had.

—Shenandoah Sentinel-Post

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

SAYS VIRGINIA RAPPE DIED OF "TOO MUCH HIGH LIFE"

Attending Physicians Declares He Knew Nothing of Fatal Injury—Body Viewed by Thousands

Los Angeles, Sept. 19—Virginia Rappe was buried today. The film actress, who died following the fatal party staged by Fatty Arbuckle, was given a simple but impressive funeral. Throngs estimated between six and seven thousand persons viewed the body as it lay in state Sunday.

San Francisco, Sept. 19—"Too much high life" was the diagnosis of Dr. Arthur Beardslee who attended Virginia Rappe the first night of her illness following the Fatty Arbuckle party, according to the statement of the physician to Sheriff Dolan of Mono County before he left Bridgeport today enroute here in response to a summons from the district attorney.

"Beardslee told me" said Sheriff Dolan, "that he knew little of the case. He said he treated her for too much high life and knew nothing of the injury."

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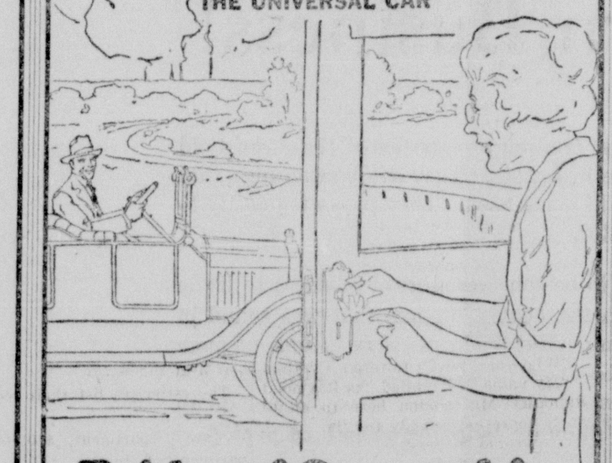

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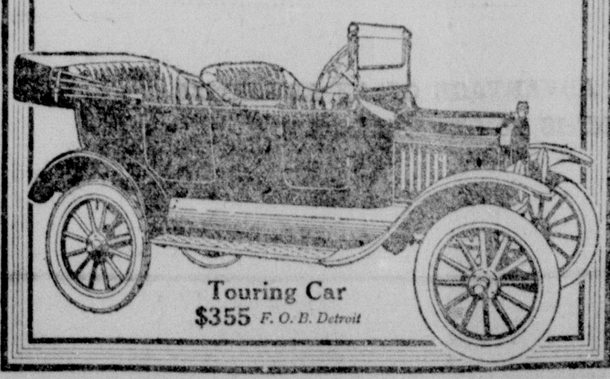

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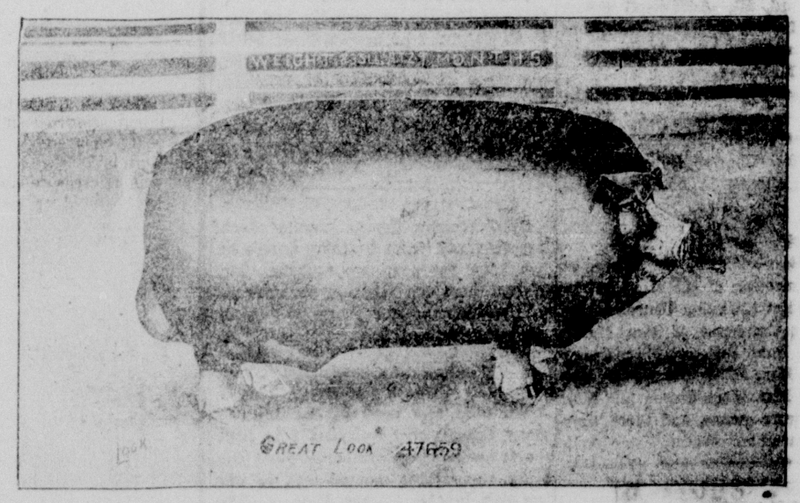

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LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at the Democrat-Forum office. Lease of Farm, Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattel Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed. J5-tf

FOR SALE — Large line of used heaters, ranges and cook stoves. Case Furniture Exchange. A13tf.

FOR SALE—Big spotted Poland China male pigs. (March farrow) eligible to registering in both the Standard and National records. From Henry Field's highest type of breeding. Good individuals. For information call at the premises. Cedar Summit-West end of 3rd street, Maryville or telephone D. Wallace, Hanamo 2346 or N. Sisson, Farmers 63. A30tf.

FOR SALE—A six room house and lot at 522 South Market street. This is a bargain for a quick sale. For particulars, write R. L. Denning, 2634 Olive St., St. Joseph, Mo. S8-tf

FOR SALE—Ford Coupe in good condition. Sewell-Kramer Motor & Tire Co., Maryville. 19-21

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorns. For prices call Farmers 40-21. Mrs. T. R. Cox, Route 4. 19-21

FOR SALE—Soft wood, cord, $6.50; mixed wood, hard and soft, cord, $7.50. 128 cubic feet to cord, delivered. B. F. Mozingo, Hanamo 4309. S19-19*

FOR SALE—Some good goose feathers. J. B. Clements, phone through Arkoe. 19-21*

FOR SALE—1920 Nash, 5-passenger touring, 1920 Nash, 4 passenger sport model, 1920 Buick, 7-passenger touring, 2 Overlands, cheap. Newlon-Robison Motor Co. 19-21

FOR SALE—60 head of stock hogs, weigh 160 lbs, 5 tried sows, to farrow this fall; also 4 head of mule colts, 3 yearlings and one weanling. C. V. Phillips, Farmers 17-13. 19-21*

FARM SEEDS—All my own growing: rosen rye $1.00 per bu.; hard wheat $1.10 bu.; alfalfa seed $12.00 bu.; sweet clover, white or yellow, $10.00 bu. Phone residence morning, noon or evening. Elmer Fraser, seed room south side square. S9-tf

FOR SALE—Re-cleaned timothy seed $3.00 per bu. Wiley Lankford, Grahm, Mo. 14-tf

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow with Jersey heifer calf. Charles S. Foster, Hanamo 6247. 16-19

FOR SALE—Or trade, used cars, all model Fords and others cars. Farmers Garage, east side of square. 17-23

FOR SALE—A number one milk cow in every respect. Good reasons for selling her. Will Hansen, Basford Cigar Co. Both phones. 17-20*

MISCELLANEOUS.

WHAT HAVE YOU? We buy, sell or trade. Dealer in furniture, stoves rugs and implements, etc. Case Furniture Exchange. Hanamo 530, Farmers 510. J15-tf.

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FOR RENT—Nice rooms for men and boys, very reasonable. 322 West Second Street. 15-21

ANYONE—Caught hunting or trespassing on my farm will be prosecuted. Geo. Fred Davis. 16-19

FOR RENT—Modern rooms, College or high school students preferred. Special rates to five or six. Mrs. George Bedford, Hanamo 4391. 19-21

WANTED—Respectable place to keep house for elderly couple; young woman with little girl 17 months old. Farmers 40-21. 19-21

MRS. COLVIN, 104 YEARS OLD, HAD DINNER SUNDAY

Has Lived in the Elmo Community Since the Year 1850—Is Widow Of Ambrose Colvin

Mrs. Delila Colvin of Elmo, who is 104 years old, entertained at a family dinner Sunday at her home. She is the widow of Ambrose Colvin, who moved to the Elmo community in 1850. Mr. Colvin was in the Mexican war and acted as quartermaster teamster, hauling the first cannon into the City of New Mexico.

Mrs. Colvin married Mr. Colvin in 1847. They had fourteen children, nine of whom are living. Those in attendance were: Platte Colvin, Mrs. Missouri Bowman, Mrs. Eliza Kinman, Miss Frances Colvin, William M. Colvin, all of Elmo; John B. Colvin of Ekeedee Okla.; Robert C. Colvin of Calgary, Alberta; George Colvin of Elmo. Mrs. Kittie Atherton of Maryville is also a daughter.

Pictures were taken and there were five generations represented.

MRS. JESSIE MAUD SALLEE DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Funeral Services Will be Held To-Morrow Afternoon At First Christian Church

Mrs. Jessie Maud Sallee died at 10 o'clock Sunday night at St. Francis Hospital, where she had been confined for eight weeks with a complication of diseases.

Mrs. Sallee's maiden name was Hewitt and she was born September 15,1878. For some time previous to her entrance to the hospital she had been making her home with a daughter, Mrs. Mainerd Vert, living near Maryville. Surviving her are three daughters, Mrs. Vert, Mrs. William Job, Jr., and Gracie Maud Sallee, all residing near Maryville. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hewitt of Platteville, Colo., two sisters, Mrs. Alice Morris and Mrs. Estella Pickering, both of Seattle, Wash., the latter being a twin sister, and three brothers, Floyd Sallee of Portland, Ore., Fred Sallee of Platteville, Colo., and Frank Sallee of Denver.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the First Christian Church in Maryville, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass. Burial will be in Miriam cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cushman and two children are visiting relatives in Bethany today.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Cushman and Mrs. J. A. Cushman of Bethany were visitors in Maryville Sunday.

Miss Bess Curnutt returned Friday night from a month's visit in Estes Park, Colorado Springs and Kansas City. She visited her sister, Mrs. C. D. Robertson in Colorado Springs.

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WANT ADS.

ALFALFA SEED—$10 and $12 per bushel. This is away below wholesale price. Want to sell that is all. R. S. Braniger. S-17-tf

LOST—License number 118-065 and tail light. Return to this office. 17-20*

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FOR RENT — Three furnished rooms, modern. 203 West Second. 19-21

WANTED—Two experienced dining room girls. Balsam Hotel. 19-21

STRAYED OR STOLEN—White fox terrier, brown around ears and eyes. Reward. 417 East 1st. Hanamo 6523. 19-21

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Sept. 19.—CATTLE — Receipts, 24,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 29,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 45,000.

St. Louis, Sept. 19.—CATTLE—Receipts, 9,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000.

Kansas City, Sept. 19.—CATTLE—RReceipts, 30,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 15,000.

St. Joseph, Sept. 19.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,500; steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; top, $8.40; steady.

SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000.

LOCAL MARKETS

Eggs per doz.	25c
Hens per lb.	18c
Springs per lb.	18c
Roosters	6c
butterfat per lb.	30c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	8c

In the Dark

A Fright and an Awakening.

By AGNES G. BROGAN.

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Cynthia sat in a hammock upon the upper balcony of the little cottage, and swung her heels like a carefree school girl. For, though school days had long been left behind, the invigorating breeze coming sweet and fresh across the lake, the chirping of birds in the evergreens overhead brought back, with an old sense of joyous freedom, vacations spent long since in this same great Assembly.

Above, the trees arched close like the roof of some green cathedral, while beneath them scattered little winding streets of gayly painted houses.

In the distance was the big hotel, and there, in the very center of the grounds, stretched the amphitheater. It was here in the old days that Cynthia had sung in the children's choir, here now that she hoped to hear famed speakers, brought to bestow their eloquence upon the favored members of the Assembly.

Cynthia's admiration for a man who had achieved was something akin to awe. As president of the Home Literary club she hoped to obtain a personal interview with the coming great speaker and noted divine, whose brilliant articles had caused widespread comment, not only in her own country, but in those across the seas.

Her friend and hostess of the cottage had arranged to make the meeting possible. And what a triumph would be her report to the club. Cynthia's eyes shone in proud anticipation. She would write out her own questions to the great man and memorize them, that there might be no mistake in their construction.

In order to accomplish this thoughtfully, Cynthia took a long walk through the wood. When she returned, Grace, her hostess, greeted her jubilantly.

"Such luck!" she exclaimed. "Dr. Raymond Randall, the speaker, is to be entertained at Miller's, next door. You will have a fine chance to meet him."

Diffidently, Cynthia glanced over her shoulder at the red bungalow on the left.

"Silly!" her friend mocked her, "the reverend gentleman does not arrive until tomorrow, and I believe you are trembling now at the mere thought of facing him."

"It's not that, exactly," Cynthia denied, "but one feels that one must be so proper in every respect before such a Personage. Would you—would you wear your gray frock if you were me, as something quie, and suitable in taste?"

"He will probably not know whether your frock is gray or red," Grace assured her; "the man's head is so full of ethics and 'isms.'"

So that evening Cynthia decided to remain at home alone, while the others attended the leeture. She wished to rest after her journey, and to prepare herself for the treat of the next night to come.

Grace pointed out to her the lighting button beneath the stair in the lower hall as they departed.

"When it grows dark," she cautioned, "press the button to light the upper hall before you ascend. We will leave the veranda and garden lights going."

It was truly a pretty sight, the little electric bulbs gleaming here and there among the trees, making the grounds as bright as day. Far out by the lake the hotel windows gleamed as with a hundred eyes, and she could glimpse the gay colors of the throng in the amphitheate".

One by one cottage doors were locked, as at the toll of the bell their inmates hurried off to meeting.

It came upon Cynthia presently that in the vast, lighted stillness she was a creature alone. Alone in her free-vaulted cathedral, the wash of the waves came to her rhythmically, distantly. It was rather eerie. She laughed softly at the strangeness of the situation. She would go to the upper veranda and read, she decided, some thrilling magazine tale that would put from her mind for the time empty locked houses and queer rustling sounds in the grass.

She found the designated button and pressed it, so that when she came to the top of the stairs the hall was lighted to receive her. She left it so and went out to her favorite seat in the hammock. The tale was most absorbing; in its perusal she forgot the Assembly, the absent friends, the very balcony upon which she was sitting.

Enthralled, she bent lower over the book and then—Cynthia stretched forth her hands; a deep, impenetrable darkness enveloped her, darkness around about, darkness as she strained her eyes above. As realization came slowly, her heart resumed its normal beating. Of course, it was the electricity which had failed; in a moment it would be on again.

But far away twinkled the lights of the hotel, and the amphitheater was still brilliant. Cynthia remembered uncomfortably the large sum of money which she had been chided for bringing and which still remained in the satchel in her room. Was it possible that some one had learned of her carelessness? If so, great was his opportunity.

The lighting button, she remembered, could only be manipulated in the lower hall, and even if she might feel her way across this upper balcony, had she the courage to go alone down the dark boxed-in stairs? She would make a pretense of having a companion; if the thief were in hiding, that might intimidate him. She would see.

"Mrs. Miller," she called loudly. She recalled that Grace had so called her neighbor. "Mrs. Miller, what shall we do about it?" and almost as Cynthia spoke, the lights blazed on.

For one long moment she stood white-faced and alone in the glare, then as suddenly was again left in darkness.

Her knees failed her now, as she sank back upon the hammock. There was no doubt about it. A thief had discovered her helplessness, and had also located the thick roll of bills in her bag. Stealthily, yet unmistakably, came the sound of some one moving up the rough stair. She could distinctly hear the muffled breathing, the pauses made as if to listen.

"Who is there?" she cried, her voice shaking. Silence answered. Then, presently, on again came the shuffling across the boards, nearer, nearer. If there were only a glimmer of light, that she might find a way to escape. To wait in the darkness was unbearable.

From the amphitheater came the song of a hundred singers. What use to call for help if help were needed?

A heavy body brushed the screen-door at her very side. Desperately Cynthia arose and groped along the railing. At the front was a pillar, a round, veranda pillar. If she could find this, clasp her arms about it and slide to the ground. She would try. An instant she stood dangerously suspended upon the narrow outer ledge. One high-heeled white slipper felt its way, then Cynthia slipped safely and breathlessly to the ground.

Swift as her own descent the lights flared on again, and she found herself staring wide-eyed and startled into the bewildered face of a man crouched upon the lower step.

"By Jove!" muttered the man.

"You—you coward!" burst out Cynthia.

Whether it was the suddenness of her downward flight or the unexpected proximity of the burglar which changed Cynthia's fright to indignation, she could not tell, but she stamped her white shoe on the ground and faced the shrinking young man. "You knew I was here alone and unprotected," she accused, "and so you thought—"

"Where is Mrs. Miller?" the man brusquely interrupted.

Cynthia stood speechless at the coolness of the question. It was evident that her ruse as to a companion had deceived him. Perhaps it would be wise to still carry it on.

"Because," the man continued, quietly, "if Mrs. Miller is insfde, I would like to speak to her. She may be able to explain the eccentricities of this religious Assembly; where a man is left suddenly in the middle of a darkened wood, to hit his head against every tree that he passes en route to the home in which he is assigned to be entertained; and where, from out the darkness, a voice mysteriously speaking Mrs. Miller's name, leads him to this abode. When he congratulates himself upon locating with difficulty the front step, a flying female figure descends upon him, in a glare of sudden light, from above."

The young man mopped his brow. "I've been over a good bit of the earth," he said, "India—the jungle—but for real excitement this night beats it all."

In growing trepidation, Cynthia sank limply down upon the step at the intruder's side. One drawled sentence lingered in her mind. At Mrs. Miller's house, he had said, he was "assigned to be entertained."

The man's appearance under sane inspection was decidedly not that of a burglar. Mocking the shocked gravity of his face, his dark eyes twinkled humorously.

"Who—are you?" faltered Cynthia.

"My name," he replied, "is Raymond Randall. My mission here to dilate upon a present remedy for the ills of the universe in general."

Across Cynthia's mentality flashed a memory of a certain perfectly prepared speech of introduction; also, of one gray demure dress suitable for the occasion.

"The noted Dr. Randall?" she gasped.

He leaned back and smiled at her awestruck face.

"Why, I don't know," he remarked. "A few moments ago you addressed me as coward—"

Then Cynthia in quick compunction told the story of her evening; creakingly the screen door opened behind the two as they sat, and a great bulldog lounged out upon the veranda, shuffling as he came and breathing heavily.

"The dog from next door!" cried the girl.

"Your burglar," said the man.

Far away the singing ceased; homeward to other verandas came the Assembly throng.

Upon the lower step, talking low, still sat Cynthia and her companion. Twice Grace and Mrs. Miller endeavored to make their presence known.

"I am glad you had company," said Grace. "We were worried about you when the electricity failed. Only the hotel and amphitheater are provided with gas. Cynthia, may I meet your friend?"

Cynthia glanced up absently; the young man's manner as he arose was also preoccupied.

"Certainly," answered the girl. "Dr. Randall, Mrs. Miller, Miss Bowen."

"I am sorry not to have been here to welcome you, Dr. Randall," said Mrs. Miller. "We were not expecting you until tomorrow evening."

Cynthia smiled. "I welcomed him," she said.

SURVEY SHOWS HOW U. S. SPENDS TAXES

INTEREST ON PUBLIC DEBT REQUIRES A BILLION DOLLARS.

ECONOMY NOT IN SIGHT

Secretary Mellon Estimates Cost of Operating Government at $4,500,000,000.

Washington, Sept. 17.—Grumbling as he pays his income tax and irritated by the extra cent or two which he pushes across the bar at the soda fountain, Mr. Average Citizen occasionally feels the pinch of Federal taxation, talks it over with his neighbor, and decides that an awful lot of money is needed to keep the government running, but seldom realizes where all the dollars that Uncle Sam gathers into his treasury goes.

Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, in his first estimate of the cost of operating the government, figures that about 4½ billion dollars would be required to keep the official wheels of the nation revolving during the present fiscal year. The Secretary told Congress how much the government needed, showed neat rows of figures to prove his deductions, and then the House proceeded to slice there and trim here in accordance with their own ideas of how much money Uncle Sam could get along with—or without.

Departmental estimates of expenses are being given the careful "once over" nowadays under the suspicious eye of Charlie Dawes, official watchdog of the public Treasury, but bureau chiefs—those who decide how much they need to keep things going—are set in their ways and hard to budge. The effects of the war, when the personnel of many departments increased enormously, are still felt; and, although efforts have been made to return to normal working conditions, it is improbable that the comparatively cheaply operated government of pre-war days will ever be restored.

Billion Required for Interest.

The biggest single item in Secretary Mellon's list of estimated expenditures for this fiscal year is the interest on the public debt, which is placed at almost a billion dollars, or nearly one-fourth of the total requirements of the government.

There is to be, it is estimated, an expenditure of $545,203,204 to the railroads, under the Transportation act of 1920, and $551,354,865 for the retirement of the public debt, as required by law. The debt payments include: Sinking fund, $265,754,865; War Savings Securities, $100,000,000; miscellaneous debt redemptions, $160,000; Purchase of Liberty Bonds from foreign repayments, $30,500,000; redemptions of bonds and notes from estate taxes, $25,000,000; retirement of Pittman act certificates, $70,000,000; retirement from F. R. B. franchise tax receipts, $60,060,000.

Some Other Spenders.

The legislative branch of the government estimates that it will need $17,213,813 during the present year, while the Executive Department will get less than 2 million, its expenses being estimated at $1,897,751.

The estimates list their requirements as follows:

State Department, $10,344,000; Department of Justice, $17,000,000; Post Office Department, $2,200,000.... Interior Department, including pensions and Indian claims, $322,000,000; Department of Agriculture, $123,000,000; Department of Commerce, $19,923,000; Department of Labor, $5,252,887; independent offices, $13,484,516; District of Columbia, $22,187,663; miscellaneous, $62,500,000; postal deficiency, $60,000,000; Bureau of War Risk Insurance, $286,000,000; Public Health Service, $47,000,000; collecting revenue, $53,110,139; all other Treasury departments, $99,457,795; Federal Board for Vocational Education, $162,655,184; Panama Canal, $10,000,000.

MASONIC PICNIC AT HOPKINS TOMORROW

Basket Dinner, Speaking and Drill By the Maryville DeMolay Team On the Program

A basket dinner and Masonic picnic will be held tomorrow on the Presbyterian Church lawn in Hopkins and the affair promises to be largely attended. The principal address will be given in the afternoon by Claude Madison, a 33rd degree Mason of St. Joseph. At night Mr. Madison will speak to Masons only at Masonic Hall. The Scottish Rite saxo-sextet and Mystic Shrine quartette of St. Joseph will furnish the music for the occasion. The Maryville DeMolay drill team in full uniform will give an exhibition drill. This picnic is not for Masons only, but for everybody.

Debs a Cabinet Minister, Lloyd George King of England, Test Shows

Chicago, Sept. 19.—The ramblings of fame and genius have "passed up" the town of Mishawaka, in Western Illinois.

The Sinn Fein is an organization of Chinese in California who have become very dangerous, said a "history" student in the Mishawaka High School during a contest on current events. Now the school board is wondering whether to continue the subject.

Another student described Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, as the "leader of the American wets." Lloyd George, the English premier, was termed "King of England."

Other replies were:

Who is Eugene Debs?—Member of the Cabinet.

Who is Rene Viviani?—Premier of South America.

Who is Simons?—The man who made deaf and dumb people talk.

Who is Lenine?—President of Germany.

Who is Caproni?—Inventor of wireless.

Who is John Burroughs?—Inventor of the adding machine.

INDICT MINE LEADERS FOR MURDER IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Williamson, Sept. 19.—C .F. Keeney and Fred Mooney, president and secretary respectively of district seventeen of the United Mine Workers of America, were placed in jail here today under indictment for the murder of two men during the Tug River battle near here last May. They surrendered to Gov. Morgan at Charleston Sunday.

Produce Review by Swift & Co.

Receipts of eggs have been lighter during the week, with some advance in prices for really fine stock.

Less cream has been received at creameries, resulting in a firmer feeling and higher prices. Good demand continues for current consumption.

An advance in the market on fowl and chickens has been reflected in producing sections, but it is regarded as of a temporary character and heavier marketing is expected.

The large number of Leghorn chickens reaching market was particularly noticeable, and buyers are discriminating in favor of the larger breeds, resulting in lower prices being paid for Leghorns and smaller varieties of chickens.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wadley, accompanied by the latter's sister, Mrs. Charles Lane of Burlington Junction, left Saturday via motor to visit relatives at points in Oklahoma. They expect to be away three weeks.

Another Football Player Arrives

Leston Webb of Pattonsburg, a member of last year's football team at the State Teachers' College, enrolled in the school this morning.

Mrs. C. H. Airy, who has been spending several weeks in Maryville at the home of her mother, Mrs. William Garrett, will leave tonight for her home in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Curfman and daughters, Misses Laura, Helen and Gertrude Curfman motored to Mound City yesterday morning where they spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mutz returned Thursday night from Long Beach, California, where they spent the summer with their daughters, Misses Jessie and Lou Mutz.

ROLLED HOSE HAVE HAD THEIR DAY IF CHIROPODISTS KNOW

The day of the rolled stocking is nearly over.

Not much longer will the eyes of the street corner decorator be gladdened with the sight of dimpled knees. Rolled stockings make the ankles fatten and take on the shape of the well known barrel. Their dainty slimness soon travels the way of the forgotten things. This is the verdict rendered the other day at the convention of chiropodists which met at Milwaukee. Here is what one doctor said:

"It is nothing for me to see a dent in a girl's leg a half inch deep, caused by a rolled stocking. The elactic acts as a tourniquet, shutting off the circulation of the blood. The blood goes down the deep arteries, which come directly from the heart, and through which the blood is forced by the muscles. But the return of this blood through the veins is stopped by the pressure of the band. This causes congestion and swelling of the ankles."

Just for the joke of the thing, several Columbia girls were asked by the Columbia Missourian what they thought of rolled stockings, and the answers were many and varied.

The studious girl who was going to teach history said, "I think they are simply disgusting."

Her flapper cousin with the wildly flowing hair and the short skirts said, "I like them rolled. They feel good, and as for the men seeing our bare knees, well, they have to have something to stare at and talk about anyway. So it might as well be that as anything else."

The Christian College girl decided against rolled hose—But! she had a reason! "You say a doctor says that it makes your ankles big? Now wouln't that kill you? I like to wear them rolled, but I'll never do it again for my ankles are too big already."

And so it goes. Anything most for fashion—But fat ankles? Oh! never!

Miss Leta Babb from the Ireland district, Mrs. Flossie Tanner from Mt. Vernon, and Miss Lizzie Tanner of the Davis school attended the vitalized agriculture conference in Maryville Saturday.

Public Sale!

As I am changing location I will sell at W. M. Wallis farm, ½ mile north of Pickering, 9 miles north of Burlington depot, Maryville, the following property, on

Friday, September 23

3 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES

One black mare, good worker, bred to jack; 1 pair weanling mules.

PAIR SHETLAND PONIES

2 and 6 years old, listed by Ebb Simmons.

200 HEAD OF SHEEP

170 head of good feeding lambs (my own raising); 30 head western ewes.

70 HEAD STOCK HOGS—A good kind.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED

3000 to 4000 bu. good yellow corn, to be cribbed on the farm; 10 to 15 tons good timothy hay in barn; 3 tons baled oat straw; 5 tons baled wheat straw.

MISCELLANEOUS

Feed bunks, cultivators, ensilage cutter; Milwaukee binder; 5 to 6 dozen Brown Leghorn Single Comb hens and pullets; some good Single Comb Brown Leghorn roosters, and other things too numerous to mention.

LUNCH BY PICKERING M. E. CHURCH LADIES.

Usual Terms.

Ernest L. Stafford

R. P. Hosmer, Auct. S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

Costa Rican Troops Go to Occupy Coto Territory

Costa Rican troops on their way to occupy the territory of Coto, which Panama has been compelled to yield to her neighbor in accordance with the White arbitral award.

Scientist Declares Human Race Is Gradually Deteriorating

Berkeley, Cal., Sept. 19.—A gradual deterioration is taking place in the human race.

This deterioration is due to:

Bottle-fed babies.

"Indolence" of the better class of women in rearing children.

Employment of large numbers of women in office work.

Crossing of the races.

Inherited effects of alcohol.

Modern environmental agencies of industry and city life.

These are the conclusions reached by Dr. Samuel J. Holmes, professor of zoology at the University of California in his latest book, "The Trend of the Race." In this volume Dr. Holmes traces the evolution of the American people and mankind and presents the results of intensive study anl investigation of the race.

Child Birth More Difficult

Factors noted in tracing the deterioration include increasing difficulty experienced in bearing children; frequent inability of women to nurse their children; the growing frequency of suicide; decrease in stature; increasing dental irregularities and tendency to baldness; loss of use of ear muscles and degeneration of the little toe.

It is a fairly general opinion, which has a considerable following in medical circles, that the physique of modern civilized women has become rather seriously weakened in the last few generations," says Dr. Holmes. "Our index of this is the increasing difficulty experienced in bearing children. The ease with which women of primitive races bear children has often been remarked upon. It is not improbable that this matter has been unduly exaggerated. Child bearing is easier, however, among women who are used to a moderate amount of physical labor.

"Undoubtedly the life of modern women, especially those of the more well-to-do classes, is not favorable to easy child bearing. The employment of large numbers of women in sedentary occupations, such as stenography, office work, ect., cannot fail to multiply the troubles of child-birth.

"Another much-discussed physical defect of modern woman is her frequent inability to nurse children. Those who have lived among primitive peoples have frequently commented on the almost universal ability of mothers to feed their children at the breast. And among Europeans the women of previous generations nursed their children much more frequently than the women of the present time.

Disinclined to Nurse Children

"Many women are disinclined, also to nurse their children for at least a very long time in these days of artificial substitutes for mothers' milk. The fact that the proportion of women unable to nurse their children is usually greater in cities than in rural districts, points to the potency of environmental influences for this change in natural conditions."

The inherited effects of alcohol Dr. Holmes gives as one of the probable reasons for the alleged degeneracy of modern women. Increase in crime including murders and suicides, he declares, is also held to follow in the wake of inherited degeneracies.

In this regard he says:

"The growing frequency of suicide is often regarded as connected with the alleged increase of insanity and nervious disorders and hence as symptoms of racial deterioration. It is also explained as the results of changing environment, which is commonly held to be productive of more nervous strain than in previous years."

Modern Civilization Blamed

Other effects of modern civilization on the human race Dr. Holmes points out as follows:

"Many physical characteristics of men are affected considerably by environmental agencies. The latter are especially prone to influence strength longevity, rate of growth, the prevalence of various diseases, and to a less extent stature and weight. Conditions of life, especially in large industrial centers, have changed in such a way as greatly to affect the physique of a large part of the inhabitants. The relatively low stature of city dwellers is probably due largely to this cause.

"It is not improbable that many dental irregularities and maladjustments are the result of racial crossing. With more or less independent variability of jaws and teeth it often happens that teeth are unduly crowded in small jaws or are otherwise out of normal relations.

"Along with the deterioration of teeth there seems to be a correlative tendency to the loss of hair. Baldness is much more common to us than among primitive races. Although this is commonly ascribed to the wearing of hats, recent studies have shown that this infirmity depends largely on ancestry and the influence of hats is largely exaggerated.

"We have all but lost the use of some of our ear muscles and entirely lost the use of others, but we are no worse off in our present mode of life. Our little toe is said to be degenerating, and there are probably several minor structures in the same situation. A further degeneration of the vermiform appendix would probably be a positive advantage."

Despite the dark picture he has painted of the course of the American race, Dr. Holmes is not entirely pessimistic. In the course of his investigations he has found several factors which tend to indicate that nature is heself correcting the deficiencies which modern civilization has conferred on the race.

"The one agency which appears to be most clearly working toward racial improvement is natural selection of mates," he says. "At any rate there is a large amount of evidence that it is favoring the maintenance of physical vigor and keenness of mind. Sexual selection is still in a more doubtful position.

"To a certain extent it retains what might be considered its primitive function of denying the privilege of parenthood to the poorer or uglier individuals of the species, but the more capable and independent spirits especially among women are coming to be denied this privilege also."

Intelligent recognition of the racial maladies which affect the present day and generation forms the only method for correction, says the college writer and lecturer.

"It is only by recognizing these and understanding the methods of their working that effective means can be taken to keep in check," he says.

Attempt to Curtail Defectives

"Rather feeble attempts have been made to curtail the propagation of mental defectives through sterilizing or segregating some of the worst of these undesirable elements. The practice carried on much more extensively would undoubtedly relieve society of an immense burden. But the elimination of our worst defectives would not meet the most serious difficulty, which consists in the loss of stocks which carry our best inheritance.

"It is doubtful if the pecuniary rewards which have sometimes been advocated for increasing the birth rate of desirable parents would prove very effective. There is much to be said in making parenthood voluntary in all classes so as to restrict the birth rate among the people of better endowments. This of itself would lead to a greater relative fecundity among those of superior intelligence, and so long as restriction is not carried far enough to prevent all increase of population the result would doubtless be socially and eugenically desirable.

"For most civilized countries, therefore, the necessity for further restriction of birth rate must sooner or later become imperative. If this should occur mainly in people of better endowments who already have a low birth rate, the deterioration of our racial inheritance will go on at an accelerated pace.

Best Blood is Most Priceless

"An ignorant and poverty-stricken proletariat will multiply rapidly through sheer lack of restraint. The best blood of a nation is its most priceless possession.

"It is a hopeful sign that here and there among people who have inherited a generous measure of desirous traits eugenic considerations have led to the rearing of larger families. On the other hand, many who are aware that they carry a hereditary taint refrain from passing a possible affliction to posterity.

"Thost who have been most fortunate in the possession of hereditary gifts should feel that upon them rests an unusual obligation to see their qualities are not allowed to perish from the earth. The race has its fate in its own hands to make or to mar. Will it ever take itself in hand and shape its own destiny?"

Dr. Holmes has been associated with the University of California faculty for a number of years and is recognized as an authority on evolution and eugenics. Besides his books just off the press, he is the author of "The Evolution of Animal Intelligence" and other volumes affecting the progress of the human race.

943 ARE ENROLLED IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

607 in the Grades and 336 in the High School, According to Miss Hope, Supervisor.

The enrollment in the grades of the public schools is 607, while there are 336 enrolled in the high school, making a total of 943 in the city schools, according to Miss Fannie Hope, grade supervisor.

The enrollment for the grades follows:

8th A, 30; 8th B, 46; 7th A, 27; 7th B, 28; 6th A, 25; 6th B, 37; 5th A, 39; 5th B, 37; 4th A, 29, and 4th B, 52.

The enrollment for the ward schools are.

Franklin school—Miss Hartman's room, 40; Miss Lewis' room, 24.

Jefferson School—Mrs. Seckington's room, 33; Mrs. Dale's room, 41; Mrs. Estes room, 30.

Garfield school—Miss Albert's room, 35; Miss Wallace's room, 32.

The Douglas school had an enrollment of 22.

THREE FUNERALS LARGELY ATTENDED

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on, used his knife when half asleep with the trgic result. Both men were members of the Disciplinary Barracks Detachment.

Graves Buried at Quitman.

At Burlington Junction, the funeral services were at the Graves home. After the sermon by the Rev. S. D. Harlan of Grahm, the body was escorted to the outskirts of the town by a guard of honor. The procession to the Quitman cemetery was then made in cars. The Rolla Dicks Post of the American Legion conducted the regular American Legion burial services at the grave, assisted by the Burlington Junction I. O. O. F.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Graves are certain that the body sent to them is that of their son. When the casket was opened, a handkerchief was found which they gave him when he left home. Other marks added to their assurance.

The firing squad at the grave was in charge of Garland Hedrick and was composed of Carl Black, A. B. Browe, Harley Miller, Ed Lewis, Leo Trueblood, Miles Graves, Hickory Graves and Horace Reed. William Miller and Stewart Lewis were color bearers and Sherman Walton and Robert Nokes were color guards.

The pall bearers were Grant Yates, Ralph Folden, Guy Frankum, Frank Blauvelt, Willie Caldwell and Willie Elder.

Graves was killed in action overseas while fighting in the Argonne Forest. He was a member of the 125th Infantry, 32d Division.

Adams Killed in Action.

The services for Corporal Leslie Adams at Elmo were held at the M. E. Church, South, and conducted by the Rev. Mr. Speer, pastor of that church. The services at the grave were conducted by the Walter Bradley Post of the American Legion, and a firing squad was furnished by the Blanchard Post. Burial was at the High Prairie cemetery.

The pallbearers were Joseph Sloan, Hugh Honaker, Elzy Van Fossen, Leslie Bailey, Orville Hutchinson and Elmer Ecker.

Corporal Adams enlisted at Superior, Neb., and was killed in action.

DEVALERA WILL NOT REPLY TO PREMIER'S NOTE

Irish Leader Will Stand Pat on His Telegram of Saturday, So It Is Reported.

Dublin, Sept. 19—Opinion prevailed in well informed circles today that Eamon De Valera will not reply to Premier Lloyd George's note of Sunday but will stand pat upon his telegram of Saturday.

In Saturday night communication De Valera stated he had accepted the premier's invitation to the peace conference on the condition originally proposed by the premier.

London, Sept. 19—Premier Lloyd George yesterday added another to the brisk fire of telegrams between Dublin and Gairloch, which leaves Eamon de Valera's search for a formula enabling him to accept the invitation to a conference still unsatisfied, and the position on the Irish question is virtually the same as on Friday.

In his message to the Irish republican leader, the British minister remains firm in refusing to meet the Irish delegates as representing an independent and sovereign state, and declares that unless that section of Mr. De Valera's recent letter insisting upon the delegates acting as representatives of an independent Ireland, be withdrawn, a conference between the members of the British cabinet and the Sinn Fein plenipotentiaries is impossible.

Miss Noll Returns

Miss Ella Noll returned to Maryville yesterday from a five weeks trip during which she visited relatives and friends in Portland, Ore., Los Angeles, Long Beach and other points in the west. Miss Noll and Miss Wilda Keef, who accompanied her, took the water trip from Portland to San Francisco. Miss Keef remained in Los Angeles where she has accepted a position in the office of the Wheeler Bros. & Pierce Accident Insurance Company.

Ray Barker, until recently of Grainfield, Kan., is visiting in Maryville with his mother, Mrs. John Smith, on South Market street, and relatives in Elmo. Mr. Barker,who has been operator at the depot in Grainfield, will go to Colby, Kan., where he will be station agent.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

SENSATIONAL DIVORCE SUIT IS ENDED IN SUPREME COURT.

New York, Sept. 19.—A sensational legal battle between W. E. D. Stokes, capitalist, and his pretty young wife, Mrs. Helen Elwood Stokes, was held in the supreme court today when Justice Edward Finch denied the suit of the millionaire for divorce and granted Mrs. Stokes an interlocutary decree of separation on her counter suit. Justice Finch in his decision took occasion, however, to rebuke Mrs. Stokes for parts of her testimony against the aged millionaire as "exaggerated if, indeed, some of it really happened at all."

Motored to Bolckow

Mr. and Mrs. George Bedford, Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Turner and children, Billie and Mary Jane, motored to Bolckow yesterday and spent the day with Mrs. Bedford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Turner.

MANY EXPLOSIVES FOUND IN RAID ON BOMBERS' GANG

Chicago, Sept. 19—More than fourteen hundred sticks of dynamite and a hundred sticks of T. N. T. were seized by detectives today in a raid on the rendezvous of an alleged gang of bombers that followed the bombing of David Kremen's shoe repair shop on South Halstead street. Five men declared by the police to have hurled the bomb were pursued. One was wounded and two others captured. Two others were seized later.

Mr. Evans on Vacation

L. H. Evans of the Gaugh & Evans Drug Co. left yesterday on a week's vacation. He visited relatives in Kansas City yesterday and will go from there to Wellington, Kan., to visit his son, Evan Evans. He also plans to spend a few days in Little Rock, Ark., before returning home.

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